

MR. J. JOHN NIDIRY: May I request Government to take note of this interpellation as a notice of the fact that there is such a difficulty?

PRESIDENT: I do not think that it is a supplementary question. (Laughter.) I think it is a subject for a resolution.

Grazing Ground for Trivandrum.

90. MR. TRIVIKRAMAR VASUDEVAR: Will the Government be pleased to open a grazing ground not far away from the town of Trivandrum, with a view to the welfare of the cattle in the metropolis?

MR. S. PARAMESVARA AIYAR: The matter will be examined.

Stray Cattle in Trivandrum.

91. MR. TRIVIKRAMAR VASUDEVAR: (a) Are the Government aware that the public of Trivandrum are put to much trouble and inconvenience from stray cattle?

(b) Will the Government be pleased to make more efficient arrangements to remedy the troubles and inconveniences caused by these animals?

MR. S. PARAMESVARA AIYAR: (a) & (b) Section 11 of the Cattle Trespass Regulation, IV of 1086, and Section 160 of the Municipal Regulation, V of 1095, give ample powers to municipal and police officers to deal with cattle straying in public places, while the public themselves have similar powers under Section 10 of the former Regulation, if any cattle stray into their lands. Government do not consider that any further provisions of law are necessary in this matter.

Registry of a Tank in the Town of Trivandrum.

92. MR. TRIVIKRAMAR VASUDEVAR: (i) Do the Government intend to register in the name of any individual the tank near the Taikad gas tank and close to Mr. Van Ross's building under construction?

(ii) Have the Government received any petitions protesting against the registry of the said tank and praying for its repair, it being very useful from an agricultural point of view?

MR. S. PARAMESVARA AIYAR: (i) A petition was received from one Jacob Job alleging that it was proposed to auction away the tank and that Mr. Van Ross was proposing to purchase it. This petition was lodged, there being no such proposal before Government.

(ii) A petition from P. Krishna Pillai of Anayadi Veedu, Trivandrum, praying for the repair of the tank, has also been received, and it has been forwarded to the Chief Engineer for remarks.